

## Christmas Novelties

of choice selection at  
The Lounds Drug  
Store.

Box Stationery,  
Perfumes,  
Christmas Cards  
and  
Picture Postal  
Cards.

We have many new  
novelties suitable for  
Xmas Gifts.

**Lounds Drug Co.**  
Crescent City.

## Our Oysters are Sealed at the Seaside

This is the Sealship, or patent  
oyster shipping refrigerator in  
which our Sealship Oysters are  
received from the coast.

Directly at the oyster beds the oysters are  
packed, solid, into air tight containers,  
which are immediately sealed. The ice is  
on the outside, around the container.  
Not a drop of water can get in, no matter  
how many re-iceings are needed in transit.

For sale by  
**Geo. S. Crotty,**  
Foot Central Ave.  
Crescent City, Fla.

## A. I. Spencer, Dentist.

Office at Residence on Prospect Street,  
Crescent City, Florida

## M. H. READ, REAL ESTATE.

Crescent City, Fla.

The Howe property—"Crescent Hill"—is now on the market.

Particular attention given to  
Crescent City property listed  
with me.

## The Beach & Miller Line

Steamer CRESCENT.

Offers the Cheapest and Most Enjoyable  
Summer Trip to be had in Florida.

Leaves Jacksonville on Tuesdays, Thursdays  
and Saturdays at 8:30 a. m. for Green Cove,  
Palatka, Crescent City and principle Way  
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Jacksonville wharf foot of Laura Street.  
Telephone 2809.

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## E. T. CLARK, Traffic Manager,

Jacksonville, Fla.

## Notice!

The Beach & Miller Line hereby gives  
notice that it will not be responsible for  
any debts contracted by the crew of the  
steamer Clivedon. Mary Scott Miller,  
Pres. and Gen'l Manager.  
Crescent City, Nov. 21. 11-25-17

## LUZIANNE COFFEE

In its ninth year of  
unrivalled popular-  
ity, with an annual  
sales of millions  
of pounds.

is known  
to-day the  
country over as the  
"ONE COFFEE" of  
exceptional quality  
and moderate price.

THE REILLY TAYLOR CO.  
NEW ORLEANS, U.S.A.

# Crescent City News

## Personal and Social.

James Padgett sr. was a business visitor to Palatka last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Harp and children visited Palatka last week.

The new steam laundry hopes to be in full running order by the 15th inst.

Mrs. T. C. Darby has returned from a visit of several days in Jacksonville.

Dr. D. E. Holman of Attleboro, Mass., is one of the more recent arrivals at Grove Hall.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hutchinson, jr., of Palatka spent the week end with their aunts, the Misses Williams.

Mrs. J. K. Hill and her grand-daughter, Miss Wilson, and Miss Mary Alice Eaton visited Palatka last Monday.

Rev. Mr. Waybright who is supplying the Baptist pulpit is a student in John B. Stetson University DeLand.

Mr. and Mrs. Perry Bartlett and two children are now living in the cottage of Mrs. Rhoads on North Summit street.

Messrs. D. S. and C. A. Hogan of Marion, Ind., are again at Grove Hall for a season, having arrived last week.

Clay Grable of Sarasota is here on a visit to his mother, Mrs. J. L. Burton, and will stay some two weeks or more.

John McCormick, senior member of the firm of McCormick, Hubb & Co., New York, spent several days here last week, a guest at Grove Hall.

Mrs. W. J. Pierpont, who has been visiting friends and relatives some two weeks, left for her home in Savannah, last Wednesday.

Capt. John D. Pigue has just completed repairs to the launch "Bull Frog" which has been on the ways at his dry dock for some time.

W. B. Shotwell has completed a very nice job of staining on the residence of the Misses Williams, one of the first houses erected in Crescent City.

Miss Myrtle Herlong and her little niece, Louise Mathis, spent several days in Jacksonville last week. They went to see the production of "Ben-Hur" at the Duval Theater.

Mrs. Henry G. Hubbard and little daughter, Alice, and her brother, Mr. Fred Lasier, of Detroit, Mich., arrived last week and are at their home for the season.

Rev. Edw. F. Ley, presiding elder of the Methodist Episcopal church south, preached at the Howe Memorial church last Sunday morning, and following the sermon administered the Holy Communion.

Mr. W. A. Sturdy and his daughters, Mrs. Emily V. Elliott and Miss Alice W. Sturdy, of Charley, Mass., arrived last week and are temporarily quartered at Grove Hall. Mr. Sturdy has leased the Pierpont residence for the season.

Miss Grace Cash and the Misses Butler and Hubbard attended the entertainment at Pomona last Friday night, remaining till the following day, Miss Cash as the guest of Mrs. C. H. Worcester and the Misses Butler and Hubbard as the guests of Mrs. C. C. Middleton.

Miss Vetta Lewis of Sylvania, Ga., who has been the guest for several weeks of Mrs. K. Borson, left for her home on Thursday last. Mrs. Borson, and her cousin, Ary Bolton, accompanied her to Jacksonville, where all saw the "Ben Hur" performance at the Duval Theater.

The trustees of the Presbyterian church have decided to proceed soon with the erection of a chapel in rear of the church. The chapel is to be used for the Sunday school and Christian Endeavor society and for the weekly prayer and other social meetings of the church.

The last preaching service for the present conference year at the Methodist church will be next Sunday at 11 a. m. The pastor is anxious that all members be present, and extends a cordial invitation to all. Mr. Davis is just closing his second year as pastor.

Rev. Father Barry of Palatka will hold vesper service with sermon at the Catholic church next Sunday evening at 7 o'clock. This is the first Sunday service in the new church, and it is expected that all of the Catholic faith will make it a point to attend.

It is reported here that Mrs. Susie D. Ritch of Rochelle, N. Y., is soon to become the bride of her brother-in-law, Capt. Silas Ritch of Port Chester, Conn. Mrs. Ritch is a daughter of the late Mrs. H. A. Carll, and was for many winter seasons a popular leader in the social life of Crescent City.

We hear good news from the St. Johns Park church. This is a new charge made possible by the generosity of the St. Johns Park Development Company, and the real and diligence of Revs. J. W. Hypes and Ed. F. Ley. We hope the work may grow and prosper until it becomes a strong arm for the service of God.—Florida Christian Advocate.

The regular monthly meeting of the Village Improvement Association (Women's Club) will be held at the hall at 3 p. m., next Monday, the 12th inst. At this meeting Mesdames Hurlbut and Preston, delegates to the recent annual convention of the State Federation, will give a most interesting account of the proceedings of that gathering, and it is, therefore, the hope of the more active members of the club that all members be present at this meeting.

Mrs. J. L. Overstreet and her father, Mr. Brown, of Galesburg, Ill., are due to arrive this week, it being their purpose to start from home on Tuesday the 6th. As usual they will stop at the Turner House for the season. Mr. Brown and Mrs. Overstreet are among our oldest and most popular winter visitors, and their coming is always a real pleasure to the people of Crescent City.

John T. Bond the "Sunlight" man from Palatka was here on Monday to put in three of his sunlight lamps in the Chamberlin store. This is a fine light and is now in most of the Crescent City stores.

Walter B. Campbell has been awarded the contract for building three miles of hard road north toward Como from the northern limits of Crescent City. The contract calls for sand clay surfacing and the price agreed upon is \$1,250 per mile. All who know Mr. Campbell will be sure that he will give us a good job.

Mr. Thos. H. Stryker his sister, Miss Stryker, and Miss Washington arrived last week and are again occupying the DeVeau residence. Mr. Stryker has always taken an active interest in Crescent City. For years he has owned fine grove property in the hammock just beyond Oakwood. They come from Rome, N. Y.

Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Bullock and Miss Butler and Mr. Bullock's father, of Onset, Mass., arrived last week and are in the Gilbert cottage. Mr. Bullock and his father-in-law, Mr. Butler, were proprietors of Grove Hall during the season of 1889-90, one of the most prosperous seasons in the history of that popular hotel.

Coe D. Smith who is an expert automobilist and who has been over the road, tells the News that the road between Palatka and Crescent City, by way of San Mateo and Dunn's Creek bridge is even now in good shape for automobile travel. Much of the road through the flat woods district Mr. Smith says is excellent. The distance by this road via San Mateo and Satsuma Heights is about 27 miles.

Young ladies of the place under the direction of Mrs. H. C. Pomeroy are preparing to render the three act comedy "Miss Fearless & Co." by Belle Marshall Locke, author of "Breezy Point" and other dramatic successes. The comedy will be given in the V. L. A. Hall for the benefit of the proposed Presbyterian chapel. The exact date has not been determined. But the play promises much for the pleasure of the people. The caste is to be made up entirely of young ladies.

Mrs. Mary Turner, whose home is between this city and Denver, has some 20 to 24 boarders, mostly young men engaged at the junction packing houses. Mrs. Turner is a most popular landlady, due largely to the fact that she sets a most excellent table and doesn't charge but about half what her board is worth. She has just received a big crate containing a dozen turkeys, these to be a part of the dinner bill of fare until Christmas.

Mr. B. F. Tillinghast of Crescent City, editor of the Davenport (Iowa) Democrat, was a pleasant caller at the Advocate office last Wednesday. Mr. Tillinghast had come to Jacksonville to see the J. P. Campbell Company about some machinery, pumps, etc. He saw Mr. Campbell's advertisement in the Advocate, knew he must be reliable, hence he was willing to patronize him. Our advertisers are reliable.—Florida Christian Advocate.

Mr. M. H. Read assures the News that he has the money in hand to pay all the expense of the opening up of the street through the Williams grove to connect the west side of the town with the new hard surface road to Seville. Not only has the money to pay for the roadway been raised, but enough for the fencing and gates, all of which has been ordered. It seems strange that any body could be found in Crescent City to "knock" this project, yet a certain few narrow minded men here have been doing that very thing ever since the project was sprung. The road will be a great saving to many and simply affords one more direct entrance into the town. It is a benefit to the entire place. You can't hurt one man in Crescent City without indirectly hurting all, and every individual bene fit gets indirect distribution to all. But perhaps it would be too much like the millenium were the people of the town to agree not to disagree, or at least to "quit knocking" one another.

## Worn Women

Women, worn and tired from overwork, need a tonic. That feeling of weakness or helplessness will not leave you of itself. You should take Wine of Cardui, that effectual remedy for the ailments and weaknesses of women. Thousands of women have tried Cardui and write enthusiastically of the great benefit it has been to them. Try it—don't experiment—use this reliable, oft-tried medicine.

# TAKE CARDUI

## The Woman's Tonic

Mrs. Rena Hare, of Pierce, Fla., tried Cardui and afterward wrote: "I was a sufferer from all sorts of female trouble, had pain in my side and legs, could not sleep, had shortness of breath. I suffered for years, until my husband insisted on my trying Cardui. The first bottle gave me relief and now I am almost well." Try Cardui. "It will help you."

**AT ALL DRUG STORES**

## Death of Mrs. Gilbert.

Mrs. Elizabeth Gilbert, relict of the late Hon. Edwin Gilbert, died at her New York home at six o'clock last Tuesday morning. The news came in a dispatch to the News at noon that day.

Mrs. Gilbert was an aged woman, but carried her years so lightly that she was the life of any company. Since the death of her husband several years ago, she has spent but little time in Crescent City. Her last visit was but a brief stay last winter when she was called upon by the pupils in the public school in a body and publicly thanked for one of her numerous benefactions. It was some thirty years ago that Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert became interested in Crescent City, and here they spent much of their time during the winter seasons. Mrs. Gilbert took a lively interest in the churches and school work and gave with a lavish hand to all enterprises for the moral uplift of the community. She was a most lovable Christian character and none ever lived who so completely captured the hearts of our people. Her death will be lamented.

By the terms of the will of the late Hon. Edwin Gilbert, dividends from \$20,000 worth of the stock of the Gilbert & Bennett Mfg. Co., at Georgetown, Conn., became available, one-half to Crescent City public school and one-half to the Southfield Bible Conference, on the death of Mrs. Gilbert.

This conference was established during Mr. Gilbert's life and is a replica of the Moody Northfield Bible Conference at Northfield, Mass., and organized under the direction of the Moody Association.

Mr. Coe D. Smith gave a lot for the building of the public school. Mr. Gilbert then built, at personal expense, a combination school and auditorium, the latter for the use of the annual meetings of the Bible Conference. On his death this building became the property of the town, though guaranteed in use for the school and conference.

Mrs. Gilbert left no children, and it is presumed that Mrs. Florence Jones-Carll, her niece, becomes her chief heir.

## What To Do Sickly Children

Letters from Mothers

"I wish I could induce every mother, who has a delicate, sickly child, to try your delicious Cod Liver and Iron Tonic VINOL. It restored our little daughter to health and strength after everything else had failed."—Mrs. C. W. STUMP, Canton, Ohio.

Mrs. F. P. Skonnard, of Minneapolis, Minn., writes, "I want to recommend VINOL to every mother who has a weak or sickly child. My little boy was sickly, pale, and had no appetite for two years. I tried different medicines and doctors without benefit, but thanks to VINOL, he is a well and healthy boy to-day."

C. Allen, of New Bedford, Mass., writes, "My two puny children gained rapidly in flesh and strength in a very short time after taking VINOL."

We positively know VINOL will build up little ones and make them healthy, strong and robust. Try one bottle, and if you are not satisfied, we will return your money.

**Ackerman-Stewart Drug Co.,**  
Palatka, Fla.

## THE ENEMY OF CHILDHOOD.

The greatest enemy of childhood is the tape worm and similar parasites. They are the direct cause of the loss of thousands of children who were so weakly that they became easy victims of disease. The best protection against worms is to give WHITE'S CREAM VERMIFUGE. It not only removes worms, but cleanses the stomach and bowels.

Price 25c per bottle.  
Jas. F. Ballard, Prop., St. Louis, Mo.

**SOLD AND RECOMMENDED BY**  
Ackerman-Stewart Drug Co. and J. H. Haughton.

## Resolve in the Wrong Place.

"I'll take no chances," declared the young man firmly.

Did this cause the people to commend him as a prudent young fellow?

No.

You see, it was at a church fair that he made the statement.

Wheezing in the lungs indicates that phlegm is obstructing the air passages. BALLARD'S HOREHOUND SYRUP loosens the phlegm so that it can be coughed up and ejected. Price 25c, 50c and \$1.00 per bottle. Sold by Ackerman-Stewart Drug Co., and J. H. Haughton.

**Sarcasm.**

He—I certainly have cubwens in my brain. She—why not try a vacuum cleaner?—Baltimore American.

**Children take BALLARD'S HOREHOUND SYRUP willingly because it tastes nice. There isn't a better remedy anywhere for children's coughs, hoarseness and bronchitis. It's a good medicine and easy to take. Price 25c, 50c and \$1.00 per bottle. Sold by Ackerman-Stewart Drug Co., and J. H. Haughton.**

**Untimeliness.**

Never pin your faith to a woman who says she will be ready in five minutes—and is—Life.

**Heartburn is a symptom of indigestion. Take a dose of HERBINE in such cases. The pain disappears instantly. The bowels operate speedily and you feel fine, vigorous and cheerful. Price 50c. Sold by Ackerman-Stewart Drug Co., and J. H. Haughton.**

## Christmas Coming

And so are Christmas Goods to Crescent City's Right Priced Store.

Don't think you can't get what you want in Crescent City, for we will have it. Anything from Toys for the Baby to a present for Grandmother. 20 per cent. given off men's clothing from Dec. 10 to 25. 10 per cent. off boys. Special bargains in Mens Hats. Values in everything. A sale every Monday and Wednesday on just what you need.

Yours to please,

# Mathis Mercantile Co.

Crescent City, Florida.

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